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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing an Amendment to the Office Action dated June 17, 2004 for three months from September 17, 2004 to December 17, 2004 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

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2 months -	_____	$ 225	_____	$ 450
3 months -	_____	$ 510	X	$1,020
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